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News of the County

Special Correspondence from Near-by Towns.

DOYLESTOWN.

It looks now as though the much talked about fight against Assemblymen-Winner, Wilkinson and Edwards is destined to become a back number in political movements of the future.

At least that is the talk in Doylestown. It appears that the party leaders here have decided that there is absolutely nothing to be gained by opposing the re-nomination of the Assemblymen, which ordinarily would take place in accord with established precedent. There is no doubt but that for a time Winner and Edwards were marked for punishment by prominent Republicans in their districts, but the latter have received little or no encouragement to pursue the warfare here. Doylestown leaders say that a fight of that character would mean victory for the Democratic candidates for the Legislature. So far as can be learned there is a disposition among the anti-Quay element to not only insist upon the renomination of the Assemblymen, but without any instructions to them in the caucus matter. A pronounced anti-Quay man stated the other day that the coming county convention would throw into the shade the recent judgment of the court in the case of the anti-Quay faction if an attempt were made to introduce such a resolution. He added that the farmers are becoming incensed over the also business in addition to other matters, and were prepared to vote the whole Democratic ticket on small provocation, and that any interference in the Assemblymen would raise the biggest kind of a row. On top of this comes the statement that Quay, who has intimated that the defeat of Messrs. Winner, Wilkinson and Edwards would not be a source of satisfaction or advantage to him, in view of which the enthusiasm seems to have died out of the opponents of the Assemblymen.

The County Commissioners have begun repairs to the court house park wall, which will involve an expense of probably a thousand dollars, and in consequence of which the Board is having lots of advice in the way of suggestions as to how the work should be done. It has been suggested that a low wall be constructed to replace the old masonry, which was quite high, and that the lawn be terraced or graded down to the new level. This sound very pretty but the Board has considered the fact that it would not only involve the destruction of several beautiful trees but that the terrace is proposed to make there would probably become an eyesore in the shape of raw earth, and protruding roots of other trees in the immediate vicinity. The repairs now under way were recommended upon several occasions by the Grand Jury, as the wall was getting in very bad condition and falling out in places. The estimate of cost given may be a little high, but the repairs will be quite expensive.

Doylestown is to have one of those wholesome and popular institutions known as the country club. It is the offshoot of the Pebble Hill Golf Club organized here a year ago. The golfers lost their ground this season, and in looking around for new fields bit upon the happy idea of renting a small farm of 12 acres near the town, which will be used for tennis and croquet in addition to golf. The place has been without a tenant for some time and it is proposed to utilize the farm house for club quarters. The farm is located on the Willow Grove pike about three quarters of a mile south of the borough limits, and may be reached by trolley if members are too tired to walk. It is proposed to increase the membership and to effect an entirely new organization.

The congregation of St. Paul's Episcopal church gave a very pleasant reception to Rev. and Mrs. Edward Miller Jefferys on Tuesday evening at the church in honor of their wedding anniversary. The Sunday School rooms were prettily decorated and refreshments were served. There was a large attendance and the occasion was a very happy one. On May 4 Rev. Robert M. Labaree, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will give a reception at the Marsh in celebration of his coming to Doylestown a year ago. All the members of the church and congregation have been invited. In giving the reception Rev. Mr. Labaree will be assisted by his sisters, who reside here with the pastor.

The Franklin and Marshall College Glee and Mandolin Club gave a fine concert here on Saturday evening in Leaning Hall. A large audience enjoyed the excellent vocal and instrumental music. The members of the club were entertained at various homes in the town, as they have formed many pleasant friendships here, where they have given entertainments upon former occasions.

Several prominent Republicans of Doylestown attended the State convention, leaving here on Tuesday afternoon. Among them was a number of the county officials, who had a pleasant time at the State capital.

OXFORD VALLEY.
Postmaster Minister, of Bristol, was in town on Friday.
H. Thompson, Jr., and family were visiting in Halmerville on Sunday.
William Vandegriest and wife, of Newportville, were visitors in town on Sunday.
Miss Eva Stittler spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Montgomery county.
C. C. Wildman and family were visiting his brother, A. J. Wildman, of Morrisville, on Sunday.
Contractor Stradling has begun building a barn for C. C. Wildman, to replace the one burned recently.
The men and boys had pleasure in fishing, these warm nights. They say the fish are large and of good quality.
Owing to the disturbance at the William Trado School, William Trado, who has been a student there, is home for a vacation.
As the weather settles and the days get warmer, we notice an increase in the attendance at Sunday School and Christian Endeavor. We trust that there will also be an increase in the attendance at the mid-week prayer meetings. All are welcome.

NEWPORTVILLE.
Samuel Goslin and wife are both quite ill.
G. G. Rose is visiting L. C. Rose and family.
George J. Ewer was visiting about town on Saturday.
Mrs. J. C. Everett is confined to the house with la grippe.
E. G. Beta and family were visiting Mrs. Lizzie Jackson, at Tacony, on Sunday.
Miss Anna M. Bennett was visiting Miss Nellie D. Everett on Saturday and Sunday.
Wm. H. Higgins and wife, C. V. Higgins and Miss Mary Guthrie, were guests at J. C. Everett's on Saturday and Sunday.
Walter O. Jackson, formerly of this place, met with quite a serious accident at Dison's saw works, in Tacony, where he is employed, on Friday.
A large number of people attended the concert given by the Union Literary society, in Union hall, on Saturday evening, April 21. This entertainment closes the literary meetings for the summer.

MORRISVILLE.

Michael Kyle has resumed work after a slight illness.
Mrs. Emory Cox is quite ill at her home on Mill street.

Mrs. A. S. Hendrickson, is convalescent after a severe attack of la grippe.

Mrs. Frank Moaks has returned from a visit to friends in Camden, N. J.
John H. Morris, Jr., has returned from a visit to friends in Philadelphia.

Mrs. John Maugerum has returned from a visit to relatives in Philadelphia.

Alfred Humphrey, of Yardley, spent Friday last with Morrisville friends.

Miss Lillian Swartz, of Trenton, has returned home after a visit to relatives here.

Mrs. David S. Taylor has had new fencing placed about her property on Union street.

Miss Gertrude Fowler has returned home from a visit to her sister at East Millstone, N. J.

Walter E. Watson, Principal of the public school, spent Saturday with friends in Philadelphia.

A number of repairs have been made about the property occupied by Isaac Swanger on Mill street.

Ortan Justice, the well known base ball player of this place, has recovered from an attack of la grippe.

Mrs. Isaac Swanger attended the funeral of her uncle on Monday afternoon, which took place at Bristol.

Arthur Blinn, of Fallsington, spent Saturday afternoon here, as the guest of his brother, Walter Blinn.

Dr. I. N. Woodman has purchased the speedy bay gelding formerly belonging to Constable Joel Mason, Jr.

The Misses Anna May and Tillie Smyth, of Bristol, spent Sunday here with their mother, Mrs. J. R. Carson.

Over \$70 was netted at the birthday social recently held by the Ladies' Aid Society in the Presbyterian church.

Miss Elsie Moon delivered the address of welcome at the County W. C. T. U. convention recently held at Bristol.

The Morrisvilles will cross bats with the strong Clinton A. C. of Philadelphia, on the home grounds at 3:30 P. M. on Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Gilbert, of Philadelphia, have been spending a few days here at the home of Mrs. Gilbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ryan.

E. L. Smith is having numerous repairs made to his property at the corner of Smith and Union streets, formerly occupied by Howell Roberts as a tobacco and cigar store.

Three young Trenton lads, whose ages ranged from 12 to 17 years, were arrested and locked up in the town hall here, on Sunday afternoon last, by Constable Joel Mason, Jr., for playing ball in the old grove at that place. They were given a hearing on Sunday evening by Burgess Charles Sine, who allowed them to go, with a severe reprimand. It is the intention of the Burgess and constable of this place to break up this practice of Sunday ball playing, and also other means of Sabbath desecration, and fair warning is given to all those who are caught in these practices, that they will be severely dealt with.

At the last meeting of the Borough Council, for the purpose of organization for the year, the following committees were appointed by the President, Charles Sine: Finance—Samuel D. Tomlinson, Eli D. Titus, Edward Ryan; Streets—George Dorn, Samuel D. Tomlinson, Walter M. Howell; Lights—George Dorn, James H. Cox, Eli D. Titus; Fire Protection—Edward Ryan, George Dorn, Walter M. Howell; Sanitation and Poor—Eli D. Titus, Samuel D. Tomlinson, James H. Cox; Ordinance—Samuel D. Tomlinson, Edward Ryan, James H. Cox; Water Works—Edward Ryan, Walter M. Howell, George Dorn. The Democrats have been given but one chairmanship, that of Sanitation and Poor.

The Morrisvilles defeated the strong Nassau, of Princeton, before a crowd of about 400 people, at the home grounds on Saturday afternoon last by a score of 7 to 3. While there were no special features, still at times there were bits of sensational fielding which kept the crowd interested, and they frequently gave vent to their feelings by liberal bursts of applause. Some of the fielding features were the scooping in of a nasty grounder by Travers, Young's stop of a difficult fly between first and second, and McCane's quick fielding of Brokaw's hit, by which he fielded the batter out at first, the catching of a night fly in left field by Brooks, Robbins' catch of a very difficult foul in the ninth inning and Foster's catch of a speedy line hit, by which he completed a neat double play, and which brought the game to a close.

FALLSINGTON.
Miss Ethel Muir, of Chester, is a visitor at Gardner Sands.
Joshua Bateman, of Bristol, visited the village on Tuesday.
Mrs. G. L. Ogile, of Wilmington, Del., is visiting at E. L. Bayler's.
Mrs. E. W. Haines is visiting relatives and friends in Philadelphia.
C. Crosson Watson has gone to Jersey City, where he has obtained a position as engineer.
M. Harvey Ivins and family have returned to their home after spending the winter in Philadelphia.
Charles H. Carver has a new milk wagon, built for the purpose of delivering Pasteurized milk to his customers.
Potato planting is now in operation among those who were successful in obtaining manure. Many have not, as yet, been able to have their orders filled, and consequently will be delayed.
James S. Newbold died suddenly on Friday night. He had been sick for several weeks and was improving in health, when an attack of pneumonia proved fatal. Interment at the Friends' burying ground on Monday, p. m.

PENN VALLEY.
The first asparagus was out in this vicinity on Monday.
Mrs. Harry Saxou spent Friday with relatives in Trenton.
Albert Watson was removed to the Episcopal Hospital, in Philadelphia, on Tuesday.
Mrs. David B. Daley, of Glenmore, N. J., spent Easter week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pannocost.
M. Harvey Ivins and family returned to their country residence here last week from Philadelphia, where they have been spending the winter.
Mrs. Hannah E. Lantell and Miss Mina M. Lantell, of Bristol, and Miss Carrie C. Wharton, of Trenton, spent Tuesday at Charles Hughes.

Saturday to Monday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Abbott Collins, of Philadelphia, at Alfred M. Parsons, and Miss May Tabram, of Trenton, at John W. White's.
Programme of Easter services held in Penn Valley Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening, April 16:
1. Hymn—Praise High the Song.
2. Invocation—Rev. Mr. Werner.
3. Recitation—A Seed and Flower.
4. Prayer—Rev. Mr. Werner.
5. Recitation—Easter—Sarah Kemble.
6. Hymn—Christ is Risen—Congregation.
7. Recitation—Sing a Song of Easter.
8. Recitation—The Call of Spring.
9. Music—Now the Winter Days are Over, Primary Department.
10. Recitation—Easter Lullies.
11. Hymn—The Glorious Morning.
12. Recitation—An Easter Thought.
13. Talk of Origin of Easter, Rev. Mr. Werner.
14. Collection. Doxology. Benediction.

LANGHORNE.
Mrs. Edward Neel has been quite ill with pneumonia the past week, but is slowly improving.
Frank H. Collin, a large dealer in seed potatoes, from Oswego, New York, was visiting at "Home Farm" on Saturday and Sunday.
A very interesting as well as helpful meeting of the Bucks County Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Andrew M. Bye on Saturday afternoon, April 21.
Dr. and Mrs. Christopher R. Blackall sailed for Europe on Saturday morning, where they will enjoy the Paris Exposition and other points of interest before returning in June to open their new home in Bala, when Mrs. Eugene McClure Blackall will cordially welcome her numerous friends.
Professor F. H. Green, of the West Chester Normal, will give his popular lecture on "The World's Greatest Navy," at the Foulke and Long Institute on Friday evening, April 27, at 8 o'clock. Tickets, 25 cents. The proceeds to be used for the purchase of books on birds for the promotion of greater interest in this interesting study in the public schools of this district.
Society held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Granger on Thursday afternoon, April 19. The programme was one of much interest, and was composed of the papers on "A Walk Through the Louvre," "Guide Poets" and "In Touch With Nature," by Mrs. Elizabeth N. Gilliam, Miss Lucy M. Burd and Miss Whitson. All these papers brought forth much discussion. Various important matters of business were brought up and properly disposed of. Miss Susan W. Gilliam read Coleridge's exquisite poem, entitled "Sunrise on Chamouni," with her usual great ability. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ezekiel L. Fryer, on the afternoon of Thursday, May 3.
Arday was delightfully celebrated by Sorosis on the afternoon of the 20th by planting trees on their lot on North Bellevue avenue. A fine sugar maple was donated by Henry Palmer, and planted in honor of Michael Watson, the donor of the lot. Mrs. Joseph L. Lovett donated two fine red maples, which were planted in honor of Mrs. Joseph Eberhart, first president of Sorosis, and Mrs. George K. Johnson, Chairman of the Ways and Means committee for the proposed new building. After the planting was satisfactorily attended to, Mr. Watson made some appropriate remarks, and Miss Esther Reed read "Planting of the Tree," then all crossed the avenue to Miss Byle's pleasant home, which was beautifully decorated with cut flowers, palms, etc., for the occasion, and the remainder of the programme was enjoyed. The ladies of the Hainesville Quakerette rendered several selections in fine style, and Mrs. Sara E. Allen read William Cutler Bryant's "Forest Hymn." The afternoon was considered to be a perfect success in every particular, and one which will be remembered with much pleasure for some time.

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QUAY DEFEATED.

The long delayed vote upon the Quay case was taken by the United States Senate and by a majority of one Colonel Quay was denied membership upon the credentials furnished by Governor Stone. The Quay faction in this State feels keenly disappointed and has hardly yet rallied from the stupor caused by the announcement of the unexpected verdict. For weeks the friends of Senator Quay have gone about secretly rejoicing because of the implicit confidence that when the time came for the Senators to vote the result would be favorable to the "old man."

Quay has been defeated. There is no use of the ex-Senator's friends being angry or dismayed. An appeal will be taken to a higher court this fall when probably the Senate decision will be reversed.

A great deal of displeasure has been caused on account of the manner in which Colonel Quay's old friend, Senator Vest, voted. The Senator from Missouri paid heed to the dictation of conscience, and it would be unbecomingly to upbraid a man for discharging a duty in a high-minded spirit.

Senator Quay smilingly declared his defeat was one of the fortunes of war.

It has been suggested that the Hon George F. B. Hear, who declares he can see the end of the republic, should not delay a visit to the opinion.

A circumstance that is lost sight of by the workers during a labor quarrel is that while wage earners are on strike and receive no pay the salary of the labor leader and agitator continues.

The Philadelphia Evening Telegraph, owned by Wanamaker's son-in-law, is engaged in a ludicrous attempt to manufacture sentiment antagonistic to the re-nomination of President McKinley.

It is alleged that the secret antagonistic work of Senator Mark A. Hanna and Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith is alone responsible for the defeat of Colonel Quay by the United States Senate.

The dispatches today renew the rumor that General "Joe" Wheeler has matrimonial designs upon Mrs. George W. Childs. The old heroes of the Spanish-American war seem to have a penchant for wealthy widows.

The assertion that the Standard Oil Company will secure the greater share of the compensation provided in the shipping bill, is maliciously untrue. Not a dollar of that money goes to that company. Their vessels engaged in the carrying of oil are ineligible to any compensation under the bill. The assertion that the Standard Oil Company controls the only American line in our transatlantic trade, made by the enemies of the shipping bill, is utterly devoid of truth.

Away from the furthest corner of the United States comes a comment upon the Republican nomination of Hon. "Joe" Sibley. The Tacoma Ledger says: Representative Sibley, of Pennsylvania, the former silver leader, who was prominent as a candidate for vice-president, has thoroughly reformed. He has been nominated for Congress by the Republicans of his district. Mr. Sibley will be a valuable member of Congress, possessing ability and honesty, and the power to change when he finds himself wrong.

Representative Theodore B. Stubb is the latest candidate in the field for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Third district, Philadelphia, to succeed William McAlister, the present Democratic incumbent. This candidate is the same "Dory" Stubb whose election to the Legislature caused a monster petition to be filed at Harrisburg, signed by thousands of virtuous women, who, in the name of common decency, prayed that Stubb be deprived of a seat in the State law making body.

The Philadelphia North American in a very dishonest manner tried to make it appear that the Philadelphia Record is the organ of the also dealers. The Record was justly licensed and refers to Mr. Wanamaker's personal organ as a "polecat journal" and "unmuzzled liar." The Record's reputation is established, and any derogatory insinuations cast by its purse-proud neighbor will never rob the Record of its good name. Silent contempt on the Record's part should be observed rather than the free advertising given by the senseless argument with the lying contemporary.

According to a Doylestown letter in the Philadelphia Record, County Chairman Joseph W. Shelly starts his canvass for the District Attorney nomination with an immense lead. The Record's Doylestown special says: My consent of all the Republican leaders in Bucks county, Chairman Joseph W. Shelly will be given the party's nomination for District Attorney. He is assured of practically a unanimous vote in the County Convention. For a long time Mr. Shelly was undecided whether or not to become a candidate, but he claims that the outlook for Republican harmony is such that he can afford to go on the ticket. He has never announced either side. The Democrats will put up a strong man against Shelly, but just who he will be has not yet been given out.

Representative House, of Vermont, has introduced in the House a resolution calling upon the treasury department to furnish to Congress information as to the kinds and amounts of ingredients used in the manufacture of oleomargarine. It is alleged by the dairymen that the oleomargarine manufacturers get the support of southern interests by claiming that cotton seed oil is the largest part of oleomargarine; that they enlist the cattlemen by claiming that the principal constituent of oleomargarine is that the hog raisers are allured by the tale that a great market for lard is made by the manufacture of oleomargarine. The dairymen may believe the report will also show the use of some deleterious substances, notably stearine, which, they claim, is an indigestible product resembling tallow from which candles are made.

With the exception of the ripple caused by Senator Flinn the Republican State Convention was a placid affair. The friends of Colonel Quay were in absolute control. E. B. Hadenburg, of Wayne, was nominated for Auditor General without opposition. Robert H. Forrester, of Philadelphia, and Galusha A. Grow, of Susquehanna, were named for Congressmen at-Large.

The platform adopted contained no ambiguous language, and if the resolutions therein contained are carried into effect Pennsylvania will be a model State. The platform declared for the re-election of President McKinley, ballot reform, pure elections, election of Senators by the people, prosecution of criminals and violators of pure food laws, etc.

The Bucks county delegates with one exception voted for the article in the resolutions endorsing Colonel Quay.

It is a noticeable fact that the greatest Republican lawyers in the Senate were recorded in Colonel Quay's favor. The list includes Spooner, Hoar, Chandler, Elkins, Fairbanks, Cullum, Allison, Davis, Foraker, Wolcott, Pritchard, Dewey and Lodge.

"EX PROPRIO VIGORE."

In his carefully prepared address delivered at the Union League on Saturday night Senator J. B. Foraker logically dispensed the doctrine of "ex proprio vigore." That the constitution extends of its own force has been argued by those who claim to believe that the constitution follows the flag. Congress however, has decided, probably wisely, that this Nation shall be guided by conditions and not by theories in the heavy responsibilities that are being forced in rapid succession.

That the question of dealing with newly acquired possessions is one that requires deep study and trained thought is made manifest by the fact that the President has become convinced that he had not mastered the subject when he publicly declared regarding the "plain duty" of the United States relative to the government of Puerto Rico. The brightest minds in the country differ upon the question. Senator Foraker's address was supposed to voice the sentiment of the administration, but there is doubt in the minds of many Republicans as to whether the administration is proceeding in a constitutional manner in legislating for Puerto Rico.

The War Department recently complied with a resolution by the House of Representatives calling for an opinion by Mr. Magoon, law officer of the Insular Division, relative to the extension of the constitution over Puerto Rico. The opinion was given a year ago before this sudden age of enlightenment. After referring to Spain's session of the island he says:

"Over upon the territory conveyed became a part of the United States and as such subject to the Constitution. No further action by Congress was necessary or possible. The Constitution does not depend upon Congress for authority in any part of the United States. The reverse of the proposition is the fact. From this time on, Congress must look to the Constitution for authority to legislate for Puerto Rico."

In view of the new ideas upon the subject, Mr. Magoon will necessarily have to revise his opinion.

At the Republican State Convention yesterday, Senator William Flinn stood like Ajax defying the lightning while a howling, yelling mob was demanding that he sit down. Timidity has no part in the ingredients of Senator Flinn's make-up.

PARKHURST AND THE CONFESSION.

The Rev. Parkhurst, of New York, has been severely denounced by many of his brethren in the faith because of his recent attack upon the Presbyterian Confession of Faith. Dr. Parkhurst has been more or less of a sensational minister of the gospel, and was at the zenith of his fame when engaged in a crusade to stamp out the lawlessness existing in the great Empire City.

Now Dr. Parkhurst is in the pious denouncing a new Confession of Faith. He claims that "it is surprising that the Presbyterian Church is able to do as much as it is doing with such an incubus strapped upon us as we are tottering under in our present confession. In the first place the thing needed is not a system of theology, for that is what our present confession is; but a simple, brief, Saxon statement of a half dozen or so of the vital ingredients of Jesus Christ's message to the world."

In further explanation of his belief Dr. Parkhurst declares:

"We want a new creed. Amending this one will not meet the necessities of the case. After giving it a dignified place in the museum for what it is the lack of it is a disgrace and a reproach for what it is not. It is like human nature in this respect that mending it will not make it whole, and its only chance lies in being born again. We should be intolerant as to lower everything that states or even suggests anything like a partial or an arbitrary love on God's part, loving some because He chose to and damning the rest in order to show what He could do and how just He was."

"Now that is in our book, the Presbyterian Confession of Faith, in the third chapter. It is our thorough Presbyterianism and believe what our doctrinal prospectus advertises us as believing, we believe it probable that some of the children in your houses, little children, perhaps the babe on your bosom is damned, already damned before it was born, damned from everlasting to everlasting, and then you are invited to come into church and sing 'Our Father' and it will not meet the case to say that it is only the 'Book' and that nobody preaches it. It is true that nobody preaches it, and equally true, I do not, that nobody believes it; nevertheless, it is printed on the flag beneath which the Presbyterian army is marching. And I hurt us as a denomination. Men are staying out because it is there and men are going out because it is there."

From the tone of the resolutions adopted yesterday at Harrisburg the Quay and anti-Quay fight in Pennsylvania is to be a war of extermination.

A Literary Gem.

Hatched inviolable. James B. Holland wants William Tens nominated and elected proclay. Say, Jimmy, did you ever get left? If you didn't, you had better drop your Honorable William. Why he isn't in it, the Boers will kick him out of the house in the first round. This is no joke. It is all wool, yarn, and guaranteed not to shrink. Jim, learn him to sing, "When you have no money you needn't come around."

Reduced Rates to Cincinnati via Pennsylvania Railroad, account of People's Party National Convention.

For the benefit of those desiring to visit Cincinnati during the session of the People's Party National Convention, May 9, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell tickets from all stations at the rate of one first-class fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold from May 10 to May 17 only, and returning leaving Cincinnati not later than May 12.

While the Republicans of the Seventh Congressional District are practically united upon the nomination of a candidate, no such satisfactory condition exists in the ranks of the Democracy. Congressman Wanger has no opponent, in fact, not even a suggestion of a name has been made other than the present incumbent.

In the Democratic party the Bucks county and of the district in convention instructed the delegates to vote for a Bucks county man for Congress. In Montgomery county the irreconcilable Dr. Vanarsdalen, of Cheltenham, is making the most noise. J. B. Lardner Sr., of Norristown, is making a quiet canvass. Vanarsdalen has the backing of the jolly Shiner crowd which will make an active hustle to capture the nomination. The Norristown correspondent of the Lancaster Reporter tells of the Democratic Congressional situation as follows:

The Democrats are plotting about to hunt up a candidate for Congress who will meet all the requirements of their own party, and at the same time conform to the existing demands of the anti-Quay Republicans. The man who can size up to the occasion must be a paragon of political acumen. To hold the vote of one side he must align with Bryanism and all that implies—a command the other he must be a man of no positive views on the currency or tariff. He must make a high-born individual whose personality will be his platform. He must therefore be protean—assuming all positions and inclinations, as one is wont to view him. That is, he must be a free silver, free trade Democrat to one set of eyes, and a conservative on both principles to the other. Can any one conceive such a candidate? For such an one there is glorious opportunity of being elected to Congress from this particular district. The solution is past me. It is as difficult as to conjure what would happen if an irresistible force met an immovable object. So you see the Democracy is in sorry plight at present. But who knows what a day may bring forth? Politics not only make strange bedfellows, but also confront us with impossibilities made possible. Who would have ever thought with everything going full tilt during Harrison's administration that Cleveland, repudiated four years before, would walk into a second term at the White House? This is an era of surprises. It doesn't do to bank on any seeming certainty at present.

FARRAGUT AND SCHLEY.

The effort which was made by the bureaucratic friends of Admiral Sampson to have him promoted over the head of Fighting Admiral Schley has resulted in failure. The Administration yielded to the demands of the friends of Admiral Schley and now the hero of Santiago will not only rank Admiral Sampson, but within a few months Schley will be second only to Dewey in the United States navy.

Admiral Schley, since his destruction of the Spanish navy in Cuban waters, has been the object of a villainous attack. The New York Sun, the organ of the Navy department, has not only applied the term coward to Admiral Schley, but that paper has persistently endeavored to rob the hero of his laurels of victory. Despite the attempt to give the glory to a man who did not even witness the fight, and notwithstanding all the indignities heaped upon the victor, Admiral Schley never by word or action has given the least trace of a character other than that of a true soldier. The mean flings have been met in silence and the poisoned arrows of prejudice, though stinging to the quick, have elicited no complaint. Back to the sea in command of a miserable squadron has Admiral Schley gone, obeying the orders of his superiors with a stoical indifference. Although berated and maligned by officials in the Navy department, Admiral Schley can feel proud in the consciousness that the hearts of the American people beat for the true hero of Santiago and the name of Admiral Schley will be written down in the pages of history as the victor of one of the greatest naval battles the world ever witnessed.

Admiral Schley is not the first bronzed sea fighter who has suffered from the venomous attacks of the Bureau of Navigation. To every reader of American history the name of Admiral Farragut recalls a career of glorious achievement. His bold and successful attacks upon the rebel works below New Orleans and in Mobile bay are known to and are proudly read by every schoolboy. The officers who fought with him, most of whom have retired from active service, knew him to be a brave, active, resourceful man, and no American ventures to speak of him without gratitude and reverence.

Long after the gratitude of the country had expressed itself in the promotion of Farragut to the rank of Admiral the Bureau of Navigation was doing all that malevolent ingenuity could do to make his life miserable. It did not approve of Farragut. That his enemies were powerful is shown by the fact that the man whom he had sharply rebuffed at the battle of Mobile bay became chief of the Bureau of Navigation, the office now held by Captain Crowninshield, who contrives ways for the employment, promotion, punishment, comfort or discomfort of officers of the navy. Captain Alden could not forget that Farragut had said when Alden faltered after "Tam" Craven had struck a torpedo and gone down with the monitor Tennessee and her crew: "Forpodes be damned; go ahead," and had taken out of Alden's possession the lead that had been offered to him with the Brooklyn.

It is astonishing to learn the petty persecutions directed against Farragut. One is told of by an officer, who says that Farragut mourned grievously over an order contrived to deprive him of the use of a blue flag which he had used with perfect satisfaction, but which the Bureau of Navigation directed should be replaced by a red flag. One day the Admiral, not long before his death, visited this officer expressly to ask that he should not fail to attend his funeral. "I shall depend upon you to be there, and I rely upon your friendship and fidelity to me to see that they do not bury me under that damned red flag." The officer was present at the funeral, and Farragut was buried under the blue flag he preferred.

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Special Correspondence. WASHINGTON, April 24. The following is a summary of the principal provisions of the Porto Rican act, which goes into effect May 1st.

From the date of the passage of the act the same custom duties are levied on all goods entering Porto Rico from foreign countries as are levied on the same goods entering the United States, save that coffee, which has free entry into the United States, is to pay a duty of 5 cents per pound on entering Porto Rico. Scientific, literary and artistic works and books and pamphlets printed in the English language may enter Porto Rico free of duty.

All merchandise coming into the United States from Porto Rico and coming into Porto Rico from the United States shall pay 15 percent of the present Dingley tariff rates; articles of the class which pay an internal revenue tax in the United States must also pay a sum equal to this internal revenue duty, while articles from the United States going into Porto Rico must also be subjected to any internal revenue rates of taxation there collected on that class of articles.

One feature of the act, which heretofore seems to have attracted little attention, is extremely important to the Porto Ricans, because it will permit them to import free of any duty nearly all of the necessities of life. Under the orders which the Secretary of War has issued, flour, bacon, codfish, fresh beef, pork, mutton, rice, bags for sugar, coopers' wares and wood out for making casks for sugar or molasses, machinery and apparatus for making and refining sugar, or for other agricultural purposes, plows, hoes, hatches, machetes and other agricultural implements not machinery, rough lumber and modern school furniture, crude petroleum, lime, asphalt, bitumen trees, plants and mosses in natural or fresh states, mineral, carbonated and seltzer waters, either natural or artificial, root beer, ginger ale, and similar non-alcoholic beverages, and numerous other articles are admitted under the act which says specifically that "all merchandise and articles entered into Porto Rico free of duty under orders heretofore made by the Secretary of War shall be admitted into the several ports thereof when imported from the United States free of duty, all laws or parts of laws to the contrary notwithstanding." It thus appears that the Porto Ricans will, under the new act, receive from the United States free of any duty all of the above important articles in addition to those regularly upon the free list under the Dingley law, while on other articles they will pay but 15 percent, or three-fourths of the regular Dingley tariff rates, and what is equally important, they may put an end to the payment of even this small duty at any time they may desire, since the law specifically provides that these duties shall cease as soon as the Porto Rican legislature shall have provided the necessary revenue for the expenses of the government of the island.

The duties collected under the act are to be placed at the disposal of the President to be used for the government and benefit of Porto Rico until the government of Porto Rico shall have been organized, when the moneys collected are to be turned into the local treasury of Porto Rico. Goods imported from Porto Rico and under bond are to pay only the duty imposed by the act.

The capital is to be at San Juan. Persons who are Spanish subjects April 11, 1899, and who have not elected to preserve their allegiance to Spain, are held to be citizens of Porto Rico and entitled to the protection of the United States.

The laws and ordinances of Porto Rico now in force are to continue except as altered by the act, or by military orders, and which are not inconsistent with the laws of the United States.

The old law forbidding the marriage of priests and ministers is repealed. The vessels of Porto Rico are to be naturalized and admitted to the benefits of the United States coasting laws. Quarantine stations are to be established. Porto Rico coins are to be retired, the peso being rated at 60 cents in the exchange. Three months after the act takes effect Porto Rico coins are not to be legal tender. Property usually under the control of the United States will continue, and other properties acquired from Spain will be administered by the Porto Rican government. The governor is to be appointed by the President and hold his office for four years, having the powers conferred on governors of territories of the United States, but is to make his reports through the Secretary of State to the President.

An executive council appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate, consists of a secretary, attorney-general, treasurer, auditor, commissioners of interior and education, and five other persons to hold office for four years. The council is the upper branch of the legislature, five of whom shall be natives of Porto Rico. The other branch shall be a house of delegates, to consist of thirty-five members, elected biennially by the qualified electors.

Provision is made for enacting legislation similar to that in other territories. The judicial power is vested in courts already established, the chief justice and associate justices and marshal to be appointed by the President, judges of the district courts and other officers by the governor of Porto Rico. There is also a United States district court.

No export duties are to be collected, but taxes and licenses may be levied. On the regular election day in November and every two years thereafter Porto Rico may choose a commissioner to represent the island at Washington, salary, \$5,000.

A commission of three members, one a native of Porto Rico, is to be named to revise and codify the laws of Porto Rico.

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 3.55, 4.55, 6.55, *9.25 P. M. 12.10 night
From Delaware Street Station on — 7.00, 7.20,
 7.80, *8.30, 11.00 A. M. *1.00, 4.40, *6.20,
 7.00, 8.15 night.
Sunday Trains — 11.00, *8.30, *10.00 A. M.
 4.40, 5.00, 7.00, *9.03 P. M. 12.16 night
From Cortlandt Street Station — 6.20, 7.20,
 7.80, *8.30, 11.00 A. M. *1.00, 4.40, 7.00,
 7.20, 8.15 night.
From Cortlandt Street Station — 6.20, *8.30, *10.00 A. M.
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